

General Assembly

Committee Bill No. 5189

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Referred to Committee on Planning and Development

Introduced by: (PD)

AN ACT CONCERNING A LOCAL OPTION TO IMPOSE A LODGING OCCUPANCY TAX.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. (NEW) (Effective July 1, 2009, and applicable to sales
- 2 occurring on or after July 1, 2009) (a) As used in this section,
- 3 "municipality" means any town, city or borough, consolidated town
- 4 and city or consolidated town and borough.
- 5 (b) Any municipality, by ordinance adopted by its legislative body,
- 6 may impose a sales tax of not more than one per cent of the gross
- 7 receipts from sales within the meaning of subdivision (2) of subsection
- 8 (a) of section 12-407 of the general statutes by any hotel or lodging
- 9 house located within the boundaries of such municipality.
- 10 (c) The Commissioner of Revenue Services and a municipality that
- 11 imposes a tax under this section shall enter into a memorandum of
- 12 understanding to facilitate collection of such tax and payment to the
- 13 municipality.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	July 1, 2009, and applicable to sales occurring on or after July 1, 2009	New section

Statement of Purpose:

To provide an additional source of revenue to municipalities by authorizing a local hotel occupancy tax.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]

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